

REMARKS

Claim 1 has been canceled.

New claims 2-14 are presented for prosecution.

Claims 2-14 remain pending in the application. Of these, claim 2 is an independent claim. The subject matter defined in claim 2 is supported in the drawings, e.g., by Figs. 3a, 3b, 5a, 5b, and 12. Support for the subject matter of claim 2 can also be found in the written description, e.g., at page 7, lines 15-18, page 8, lines 19-21, page 9, lines 18-21, and page 10, lines 10-15.

Claim 1 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) over Yoshigai U.S. Patent No. 4,051,924. The cited reference does not teach or suggest an adjustable mount assembly having a first element carried by a mount and which moves in concert with the mount and second and third elements carried by the mount in a stacked relationship on opposite sides of the first element which move in concert with a supporting surface, as defined by new claim 2 and associated dependent claims 3-14..

Reconsideration in view of the foregoing amendments and remarks and allowance of claims 2-14 is respectfully requested.

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